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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO **OFFICE ACTION DATED JULY 17, 2008**

Dear Honorable Commissioner:

In response to the Office Action dated July 17, 2008 (the "Office Action"), Applicants submit this Amendment and Response.

- Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper; and
- Remarks/Arguments begin on page 12 of this paper.